

The Department of Food and Agriculture hereby makes the following changes to Title 3, of the California Code of Regulations, to read as follows:

(1) Amend section 300(c) of Article 1, Chapter 4, of Division 1, to read as follows:

Section 300. Permit Processing Times (Including Licenses, Permits, Registrations and Certificates).

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(c) The Department's minimum, median, and maximum time periods, in calendar days, for processing an application from the receipt of the initial application to the final decision, based on the Department's actual performance during the two years immediately preceding the proposal of this section, are shown in columns C, D, and E of the chart which follows:

Permit Type	A	B	C	D	E
	Maximum time for notifying that application is complete or deficient (Days)	Maximum time after receipt of a complete application to approve or deny permit (Days)	Minimum	Median	Maximum
(1) Animal Health and Food Safety Services:					
Livestock Meat Inspector License <sup>1</sup>	14	60	1	29	325
Poultry Meat Inspector License <sup>1</sup>	14	60	5	76	162
Retail Meat Processing Establishment License <sup>1</sup>	14	60	1	34	237
Custom Livestock Slaughter Establishment License <sup>1</sup>	14	60	6	62	163
Poultry Plant License <sup>1</sup>	14	60	19	68	194
Pet Food Processor <sup>1</sup>	14	60	48	116	185
Horsemeat and Pet Food Importers <sup>1</sup>	14	60	15	32	49
<u>Renderer License</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>216</u>
<u>---Renewal</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>33</u>
<u>Collection Center License</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>74</u>
<u>---Renewal</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>59</u>
<u>Inedible Kitchen Grease Transporter Registration</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>
<u>---Renewal</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>93</u>

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<sup>1</sup> Median processing time for renewals does not exceed 7 days.

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NOTE: Authority cited: 15376, Government Code; and Section 407, Food and Agricultural Code. Reference: Section 15376, Government Code.

(2) Adopt new Article 37.1 of Subchapter 2, Chapter 4, Division 2, to read as follows:

Article 37.1   Enforcement Fees for Renderers, Collection Centers, and  
Transporters of Inedible Kitchen Grease

(3) Adopt new section 1180.3.1 under new Article 37.1, of Subchapter 2, Chapter 4, Division 2, to read as follows:

Section 1180.3.1.   Enforcement Fees.

Pursuant to sections 19227 and 19315 of the Food and Agricultural Code, effective January 1, 2003, the annual enforcement fees are set as follows:

(a) The fee for rendering establishments shall be \$750.

(b) The fee for collection centers shall be \$375.

(c) The fee for transporters of inedible kitchen grease shall be \$75 per vehicle (not to exceed \$750 per registered transporter).

(d) The Department shall reevaluate the fees in this regulation annually. Fees will be recalculated, if necessary, to cover the actual expenditures of the enforcement program based upon the prior-year revenue and expenditure budget report.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 407, 19227 and 19315, Food and Agricultural Code. Reference: Sections 19227, 19228, and 19315 Food and Agricultural Code.

(4) Adopt new section 1180.3.2 under new Article 37.1, Subchapter 2, Chapter 4, Division 2, to read as follows:

Section 1180.3.2.   Method for Collection.

(a) Every licensed rendering establishment, licensed collection center, and registered transporter of inedible kitchen grease shall submit the fees required pursuant to sections 19227 and 19315 of the Food and Agricultural Code, and section 1180.3.1, to the Department upon license or registration renewal.

(b) Penalties for any late enforcement fees shall be assessed pursuant to sections 19227(c) and 19315(c) of the Food and Agricultural Code.

(c) All enforcement fees must be submitted to the Department along with the following information:

(1) Name, address, and license number of the rendering plant;

(2) Name, address, and license number of the collection center;

(3) Name, address, registration number, and number of transportation vehicles for transporters of inedible kitchen grease;

(4) Fee amount paid.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 407, 19227 and 19315, Food and Agricultural Code. Reference: Sections 19227, 19228, and 19315 Food and Agricultural Code.

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